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The Honorable Derrick D. Schofield, Commissioner, Department of Correction The Honorable Karl Dean, Metropolitan Nashville - Davidson County Mayor The Honorable Daron Hall, Metropolitan Nashville - Davidson County Sheriff

To the Commissioner, County Mayor, and Sheriff:

Our office recently completed a review of Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County (Metro Nashville) Jail Facility's participation in the County Correctional Incentive Program for the year ended June 30, 2011.

The objectives of the review were:

- 1. to determine if prisoners were properly listed on the State Prisoner (Convicted Felon) Reports,
- 2. to determine if inmates were accurately reported on the Correction Facility Summary Reports, and
- 3. to recommend appropriate actions to correct any deficiencies.

SCOPE OF THE REVIEW

We tested the proper classification of convicted felons as reported on the State Prisoner Reports to ensure accurate reporting to the state. Testwork included tracing information from the reports to the actual case files to verify the listed offenses, trial dates, and incarceration periods. In addition, we tested procedures related to counting and reporting the total inmate population as reported on the Correction Facility Summary Reports.

RESULTS OF THE REVIEW

Our review resulted in no findings.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding our review of Metro Nashville Jail Facility's participation in the County Correctional Incentive Program.

Sincerely,

James R. Arnette, Director

cc: Judith Lambert, Judicial Cost Accountant